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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

Roosevelt, '60, is about the whole Harvard commencement.

To-day's convention in Montpelier was the calm before the storm.

Governor Dickerson of Nevada is in Reno. Now let the fight proceed.

It will be only the square thing to let Italy have the privilege of trying Porter Charlton, who is alleged to have committed murder on Italian soil.

Senator LaFollette's declaration that Roosevelt is "the greatest living American" makes the New York Globe wonder if Mahomet went to the mountain or whether the mountain went over to Mahomet. Anyway, it is a very strong indication, which the statement seems to indicate. Roosevelt and LaFollette, harnessed together, make a powerful team.

Besides being chairman of the House committee on foreign affairs, Congressman D. J. Foster of the first Vermont district is otherwise amply able to extend the felicitations of a sister republic to the republic of Mexico on the occasion of the latter's centennial next September. Therefore, the selection of the Vermonters to be on the committee from the United States was well made.

If Norwich university keeps up its present attraction for New Hampshire boys, the Northfield institution will arouse the traditional spirit of rivalry in Dartmouth college, which was rampant when the military college was located at Norwich, just across the river from Hanover. One small New Hampshire high school is planning to send five of its 1910 graduates to Norwich university, as against one to Dartmouth college and three to other institutions.

A GOOD RECOMMENDATION.

The action taken by the Barre aldermen last night in recommending more night police service for this city should be followed by the appointment of another patrolman as soon as possible. In order to meet the greatest needs, it would perhaps be advisable that the extra patrolman go on duty late in the evening and remain until the following morning, or until the day policemen go on duty. The latter hours of the extra patrolman might be spent in the police station, ready for telephone calls and ready, also, to look after the prisoners in the cells. But whatever his assignment may be, there is no doubt that a new patrolman is urgently needed during the summer months at least.

BEING FAIR WITH THE PUBLIC.

The decision of the Gentlemen's Driving club of Barre to cancel the attractions advertised for next Saturday and the Fourth at the Granite City trotting park is to be regretted; but there seemed to be no other course to pursue, since horsemen were not taking interest in the trotting events. The club preferred to take this action, although already put to considerable expense, rather than to offer a poor attraction to the public. This policy will surely be appreciated by the public; and it might be said further that it is only in keeping with the aims of the Gentlemen's Driving club since it was organized to take charge of horse racing at the local park. The club has always tried to give full worth for the money asked. The failure of the horsemen to take interest in the proposed events reflects the quite general lack of interest this summer in horse racing as a sport, back of which are perhaps many reasons, notably the development of the automobile industry.

EQUAL OPPORTUNITY IN VERMONT POLITICS.

To those who are not acquainted with Vermont politics, the resolutions adopted yesterday by the Republicans of Addison county in favor of equal opportunity for all candidates, may appear somewhat surprising; they will wonder perhaps how inequality has crept into the political affairs of a state which professes such freedom and independence of action. But to those who are conversant with political affairs in Vermont the resolutions adopted at Middlebury are but the outgrowth of a natural revulsion against methods in use here in recent elections. It is extreme hardship on the part of any person without an established income, or without soundly entrenched finances, to go into a contest for the governorship in Vermont at the present time. Some men have done so, and have come out well.

C. J. Bell was one of those men of moderate financial circumstances who essayed to rely on his personal record of fitness for the office of governor, without lavish expenditure of money; and he won the nomination and eventually the election. But opposed to him was another man of only moderate means. Just what the result would have been had Bell been opposed by a rich and free-handed candidate is not certain; but very likely he would have lost. That



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year it was not a moneyed campaign, and the selection was based on the personal qualifications of the men as the voters knew them, largely from their own observations. Other years it has been very different, and where rich men have entered the contest the door was closed on poor men, or men of little means.

That, then, is the reason why Addison county Republicans yesterday adopted resolutions favoring the equality of opportunity for aspiring candidates in Vermont. There is to be a contest at Montpelier to-morrow, and if Fleetwood wins the nomination for governor it will go far toward showing that Vermont is in favor of equal opportunity, for Fleetwood, in accordance with his plans set forth at the beginning of the campaign, has expended a minimum in the necessary requirements of correspondence, etc.

Current Comment

Take the Tariff Out of Politics.

The platform formulated for consideration by the state Republican convention at Montpelier on Thursday, wisely refrained from ambitious expeditions into the realm of national politics. This is an off year, when we can settle our own issues and solve our own state domestic problems and without danger of having it said that our verdict will influence the result in other states. This is the year to fight out our own battles.

We rejoice, however, that one of the notable exceptions to this general plan of treatment is afforded by the plank dealing with the tariff question. It will be recalled that President Taft first urged the formation of a body to study the tariff, and the Vermont Republicans can wisely endorse this general idea by the adoption of the proposed plank calling for the formation of a tariff board for the purpose of revising the different schedules as need arises, without interrupting the operation of the tariff as a whole and without throwing the entire country into an undelightful state of uncertainty regarding what is going to happen in the realm of values when Congress gets through tinkering with the tariff.

This whole question of tariffs is one of business and revenues, and while some people talk of a tariff for revenue only, the fact remains that no Congress, Democratic or Republican, has been troubled with a burdensome stock of money in the national treasury, with the possible exception of that inherited by the Cleveland administration, which speedily became a vanishing surplus.

So many men in both parties want protection that this system has come to be a national policy, and the only thing to be decided is the determination of the question which products absolutely need protection and which products of imports can be deprived of protection, and the government economically administered, be assured, at the same time, sufficient revenue for its needs. A tariff board exercising semi-judicial function and independent of sectional interest and prejudice can best hear testimony and decide a question of this character, and the position of the Vermont Republicans is well taken.—Burlington Free Press.

EAST MONTPELIER.

A daughter, weighing seven pounds, was born Saturday, June 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Will Taylor.

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SECOND TERM FOR PLUMLEY

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was actually added to establish the claim of a revision upwards. Instead, however, every action has been taken to remove discriminations against her commerce and the maximum rate has served its purpose without being put in actual use in any case. The wisdom of the Republican platform, which proposed the remedy, the ability of the Congress which provided it and the skill in administration which applied it are all vindicated by the beneficent results.

The next requirement in a Republican tariff is that it shall furnish proper protection to American industries to the end that capital shall have safe avenues of use, skill and labor ample and remunerative employment and the products of all shall find their best purchasers in our own markets. And here the platform of 1908 gave the standard of action in these words: "In all tariff legislation the true principle of protection is best maintained by the imposition of such duties as will equal the difference between cost of production at home and abroad, together with a reasonable profit to American industries." The Payne tariff act was the first in which an effort was made scientifically and practically to evolve this result. For nearly nine months, the House committee on ways and means made careful study of economic conditions, heard a vast amount of testimony, and the House bill was a very fair and satisfactory result. It was not a perfect measure, but it attempted to be. It was built with that end in view. For the first time in the history of tariff revision, the ultimate consumer became an important factor and took his place as one of the parties to the controversy.

In the main it was a revision downward—no honest and fair critic can claim the contrary. Higher rates were placed on luxuries like brandies, wines and diamonds, but on the necessities of life no change was made which requires a penny to be added to the retail price. A large amount was placed upon the free list, and it is a fact that since it went into operation about one-half of all importations are absolutely free.

During the discussion and after the debates ended, our opponents—the Democrats—offered no substitute, made no general proposition offering relief. They confined themselves then as they confine themselves now to criticism. It is seventeen years since the Gorman-Wilson bill, when the only popular and prosperous industry was the establishment of free soup houses for the starving poor and the changing of the great army of individuals into a motley Coxey's army of poverty and discontent.

Our opponents are not constructionists; they are critics, but they do not create. They read history, but they do not make it. When there is before them an object they can object; but where in the exigencies of the nation a project is necessary they cannot project. Their muscles of forward movement are very weak; their real power is registered only in their kick.

Every Vermont interest was carefully safeguarded by the Payne tariff and there is in this state no reason for an idle spindle, an unused hammer, implement or machine of any kind.

Your representatives did not obtain the bill they sought in many particulars, but all laws affecting economic questions, especially in a country so large and with such diverse interests as ours, must be a more register of compromise. It is not the best law possible, but it is the best law that could then be obtained. Your representatives expect with a new commission and a fresh mandate they can secure improvement in schedules which should be changed. It is their hope that never again will there be a general revision of the tariff, but that hereafter schedules will be changed as the necessity and the propriety is made to appear from information and knowledge systematically obtained. It is yet impossible in the Senate to change a single schedule only, but it is thought that under a joint rule this can be done and already discussion and thought are taking form along this line.

It is true that prices are high, but the new tariff is not responsible for these prices. There is such a thing as finding the finished product too cheap with no money to buy even at a low price, because there are no employers and no employed, no seller because there is no purchaser. A memory which reaches back to the conditions which followed

the Democratic tariff of 1893-7 needs no illustration and would avoid all demonstration.

Recent Congress One of Large Achievements.

The first Congress is one of large achievement. Few Congresses can show a better record. Undoubtedly its chief legislative act at its second session is the so-called railroad law, which creates a court of commerce to consider appeals from the interstate commerce commission, these appeals being in charge of the department of justice with permission to the shippers to intervene for their protection and with a right in the interstate commerce commission. The justices are subject to the examination and approval or disapproval of the interstate commerce commission, which has a right to suspend their operation for a period of ten months, during which the examination may be had. It has many other important features which I will not take your time to state, which seem fair and just to the carrier and the shipper.

The postal savings deposits bill favored by our national platform has become a fact.

The territories of Arizona and New Mexico have been admitted to separate statehood, when they have complied with the requisite conditions. The president has been authorized to withdraw land for public entry containing water power, coal and the like. The issue of \$20,000,000 bonds to carry out reclamation projects was authorized. A bureau of mines was established. \$250,000 was appropriated to cover the expenses of a tariff commission to investigate and report upon the cost of production of goods in this country and abroad. The Apportionment bill passed the House, as did the act to prevent gambling in cotton futures. It has been peculiarly a session devoted to great legislative enterprises and the full, rank and hearty redemption of the platform pledges of the Republican party.

During the first Congress, the rules of the House have been so far modified and amended that the speaker has no longer any arbitrary control of its conduct, and there is now possible practical freedom of action by its members. The railroad bill was made in the committee of the whole and the postal deposits bill was framed in a caucus of Republican representatives. Whatever may have been the case in the past, it is now true that there is legislation by the legislators.

Throughout this second session of Congress especially there has come from the president a quiet, insistent, but persistent force, gently but firmly, which at last brought the ultra-radical, the ultra-conservative and the conservative progressive membership, which constitutes the great body of Congress, into harmony and unity of action productive of the large results which mark and I really believe adorn the labor of this session.

When others doubted, he wavered not; where others hesitated, he was resolute. He is a patriot without question, standing always for the great policies outlined by the brave and talented Roosevelt with a heart that has no false beat, with no thoughts but his country's good, no purposes but to serve it wisely and well.

His first year of service has been somewhat clouded, and there have been those who have questioned, but in the light of his great achievements, in the face of his assured triumphs, all doubts are resolved, all questions are answered. He is worthy of the love, the confidence and the adoration of every true American and the unqualified endorsement of every loyal Republican.

WATERBURY.

On Monday evening, the members of the Twenty-fourth club, under a banquet to Ray F. B. Kellogg at the Waterbury Inn. Mr. Kellogg was the originator of the club and its first president. He has done a great deal for the success and the appreciation of its members was shown in the speeches Monday night. C. C. Graves acted as toastmaster and those responding to toasts were W. B. Clark, A. B. Smith, Dr. Watson, W. J. Boyce for Ray F. B. Kellogg, B. R. Damerit and L. C. Moody. A flashlight picture of the club was taken.

\$1000 Reward

Colonel Joseph Battell of Middlebury, in his effort to expose alleged corrupt practices in the present campaign for the Republican nomination for governor of Vermont, offers a reward of \$1000 for information which will lead to the conviction of any person using money unlawfully to secure the election of delegates, or to influence delegates in the casting of their votes at the state convention in Montpelier Thursday.

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F. L. Sargent is erecting a new barn on his land near C. E. Wolcott's.

Dr. Minard has gone to Waterbury to spend a few days with his son, Dr. Will Minard.

A new hardwood floor is being laid in the Foresters' hall, which will be a great improvement.

Dancing school Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. A good attendance desired. Mrs. Paton, Pianist.

Dan Hagan is home from his work at Brandon for a short time, called by the illness of his mother.

Remember that the reading room will be the place for the meeting of the W. C. T. U. on Friday at 2:30.

Miss Ethel Balch expects to go to Hardwick this week to spend the summer with friends and relatives there.

Mrs. J. P. Hagan, who has been seriously ill at her home the past week with appendicitis, is thought to be more comfortable.

Mrs. Lucinda R. Barnes of Hyde Park, Mass., is visiting relatives and friends in Barre and vicinity during this, her first visit for eight years.

Mrs. Will George accompanied her daughter, Bessie, to Burlington last Saturday evening, July 2. The auxiliary has been divided into two parts and the ladies are having a friendly contest to see which side will raise more money. This lawn party is the first of the series, and Mrs. H. B. Partridge is leader.

Caucus will be held in East Barre in opera house hall Friday evening, July 1, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing eight delegates and eight alternates for the county convention, to be held in Montpelier Saturday, July 10, 1910, for the purpose of nominating the county officers. Per order the Republican town committee.

The Bruce orchestra will give a dance in the Howland hall Wednesday after the band concert. Admission 50c, ladies free.

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\$3.98 Skirt for \$2.98. Others at 4.98.

\$8.50 Voile Skirt for \$6.98.

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Sale on Second Floor

Ladies' and Children's Underwear

Children's White Dresses, 25c, 50c, 59c up.

Children's Colored Dresses, 50c, 75c, \$1 up.

Children's Straw Bonnets, 25c, 50c up.

Children's Muslin Bonnets, 25c, 29c, 49c up.

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